



Please type a plus sign inside this box →

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-002
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number

TECH CENTER 1600/2800

MAR 20 2003

RECEIVED

TRANSMITTAL FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

		Application Number	09/494,332
		Filing Date	January 28, 2000
		First Named Inventor	Kevin M. Gorman
		Group Art Unit	1634
		Examiner Name	Jeanine A. Goldberg
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	3	Attorney Docket Number	2094/1E285US1

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

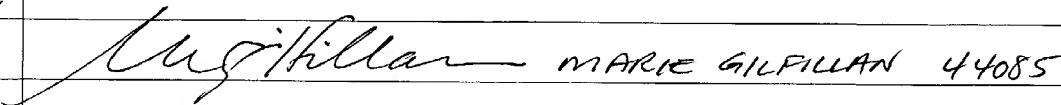
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (for an Application)	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to Group
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences
<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply	<input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)
<input type="checkbox"/> After Final	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition	<input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information
<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below)
<input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer	
<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund	
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application		
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53		
Remarks		

TECH CENTER 1600/2800

MAR 18 2003

RECEIVED

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual Name	DARBY & DARBY P.C. Paul F. Fehlner, Ph.D. - 35,135
Signature	
Date	March 13, 2003

Express Mail Label No. _____ Dated: 3/13/03 0094094187745



03-14-03

MAR 13 2003

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

PTO/SB/17 (10-02)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0032

FEET TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 430.00)

Complete if Known

Application Number	09/494,332
Filing Date	January 28, 2000
First Named Inventor	Kevin M. Gorman
Examiner Name	Jeanine A. Goldberg
Group Art Unit	1634

Attorney Docket No. 2094/1E285US1

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

Check Credit Card Money Order Other None

Deposit Account

Deposit Account Number 04-0100

Deposit Account Name Darby & Darby P.C.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments

Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application

Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee

to the above-identified deposit account.

FEET CALCULATION (continued)

MAR 13 2003

Technology Center

2600

FEET CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	740	2001	370	Utility filing fee	
1002	330	2002	165	Design filing fee	
1003	510	2003	255	Plant filing fee	
1004	740	2004	370	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 0.00)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	** =	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	** =			
Multiple Dependent				

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	84	2201	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	280	2203	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	84	2204	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 0.00)

** or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

MAR 13 2003

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid		
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	400	2252	200	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	920	2253	460	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,440	2254	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,960	2255	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,280	2453	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,280	2501	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	460	2502	230	Design issue fee	
1503	620	2503	310	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	740	2809	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	740	2810	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	740	2801	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify)

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 840.00)

SUBMITTED BY

Complete (if applicable)

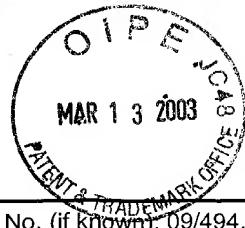
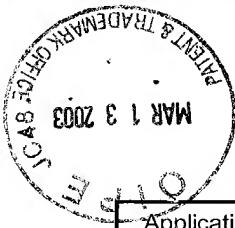
Name (Print/Type)	Paul F. Fehlner, Ph.D.	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	35,135	Telephone	(212) 527-7665
Signature	<i>Paul F. Fehlner 44085 MARIE GILFILLAN</i>			Date	March 13, 2003

APR 16 2003
RECEIVED

MAR 20 2003
TECH CENTER 1600/2300

RECEIVED

TECHNOLOGY CENTER
2800
RECEIVED



Application No. (if known): 09/494,332

Attorney Docket No.: 20941E285US1

RECEIVED
MAR 13 2003
INTER 1601290

Certificate of Mailing Under 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail, Airbill No.

EV294034187 US

RECEIVED

MAR 13 2003

Technology Center 2600

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

on March 13, 2003
Date

J. Davis
Signature
J. Davis

Typed or printed name of person signing Certificate

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of mailing, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper.

1. NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES
2. FEE TRANSMITTAL FOR FY 2003
3. TRANSMITTAL FORM
4. PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)
5. CHECK NO. 11323 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$520.00 AND CHECK NO. 11324 IN THE AMOUNT OF 320.00.

RECEIVED
MAR 13 2003
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2600

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket No. (Optional)
2094/1E285US1

In re Application of Kevin M. Gorman, et al

Application Number 09/494,332	Filed January 28, 2000
For: OLIGONUCLEOTIDE PRIMERS FOR EFFICIENT MULTIPLEX DETECTION OF HEPATITIS C VIRUS (HCV) AND HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) AND ...	
Group Art Unit 1634	Examiner Jeanine A. Goldberg

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows
(check time period desired):

<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$ 520.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$ _____

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 04-0100.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the applicant/inventor.

assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

attorney or agent of record.

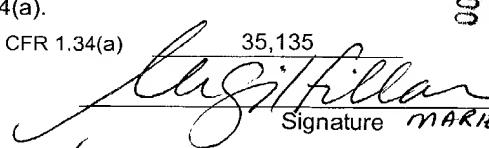
attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 35,135

44085

March 13, 2003

Date


Signature MARIE GILFILLAN

Paul F. Fehlner, Ph.D.

Typed or Printed Name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below



1 forms are submitted.

03/17/2003 MBIZUNES 00000049 09494332

01 FC:1253

520.00 0P

Express Mail Label No. 

Dated: 3/13/03 094034187 - us

MAR 20 2003

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

RECEIVED
MAR 18 2003
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800